

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Meeting Minutes

November 13, 2019

3:30 pm to 5:30 pm

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

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	<u>CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL</u>	
OS-1113-01	<u>AGENDA ACCEPTANCE</u> Motion made by Ms. Plack to accept the agenda. Seconded by Ms. Quinones. Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.	
OS-1113-02	<u>OPEN SESSION MINUTES</u> Consideration of the Open Session Minutes from the October 9, 2019 meeting. Motion: Motion made by Ms. Plack to approve the minutes. Seconded by Ms. Quinones. Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.	
OS-1113-03	<u>CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT</u> <i>i. FSBPT Annual Meeting</i> The Board Chair attended the recent FSBPT Annual Meeting. During this meeting the compact commission also met and voted to elect their new chairperson. The minutes and information from the meeting is available on the PT Compact's website.	
OS-1113-04	<u>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR</u> <i>ii. Licensure Census:</i> The Executive Director gave an update on the current licensure numbers in the District, as follows: Physical Therapist 1,200 Physical Therapist Assistants 95 <i>iii. Physical Therapist Workforce Survey</i> The Board's Intern sought the Board's input on major topics of interest and what data analysis points the Board is seeking. The Board provided the following feedback:	

	<p>Who do licensees use in obtaining their CEUs? How many licensees hold multi-jurisdictional licenses?</p>	
OS-1113-05	<u>BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT</u>	
OS-1113-06	<p><u>DISCUSSION – CE COURSE APPROVAL REQUEST</u></p> <p>BOARD ACTION: The Board is to review and determine whether or not to approve the Physical Therapy Continuing Education Credit Approval Managing Chronic Edema course entitled: Advancing the Standard of Care.</p> <p>BACKGROUND: The Minnesota Board of Physical Therapy has approved the course for CEUs.</p> <p>MOTION: Motion made by Ms. Plack to table this matter pending additional information from each organization seeking approval from the Board as to their criteria in determining whether to give approval to a course, as well as more details on the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET) including what criteria they use and what organizations are accredited by them. Staff shall also look at whether any other CE accrediting bodies exist, and what other states are doing? Seconded by Ms. Quinones.</p> <p>Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
OS-1113-07	<p><u>DISCUSSION – CONTINUING EDUCATION REVIEW SERVICES (CERS)</u></p> <p>BOARD ACTION: The Board is to review and determine whether or not to accept Continuing Education Review Services CERS as the review agency.</p> <p>BACKGROUND: FSBPT informed the board that ProCert will be discontinued as CE reviewer agency. The new Continuing Education Review Services (CERS) will be the new reviewer.</p> <p>MOTION: Motion made by Ms. Plack to table this matter pending additional information from each organization seeking approval from the Board as to their criteria in determining whether to give approval to a course, as well as more details on the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET) including what criteria they use and what organizations are accredited by them. Staff shall also look at whether any</p>	

	<p>other CE accrediting bodies exist, and what other states are doing? Seconded by Ms. Quinones.</p> <p>Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
OS-1113-08	<p><u>DISCUSSION - PHYSICALTHERAPY.COM</u></p> <p>BOARD ACTION: The Board will review and determine whether Physicaltherapy.com can be a board approved continuing education provider.</p> <p>BACKGROUND: Physicaltherapy.com currently offers over 150 courses that are certified by Pro-Cert. They are concerned that based on the Boards current policy regarding CEU approvals that there is no path for Independent CE providers. Physicaltherapy.com is seeking guidance from the Board as to their options.</p> <p>MOTION: Motion made by Ms. Plack to table this matter pending additional information from each organization seeking approval from the Board as to their criteria in determining whether to give approval to a course, as well as more details on the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET) including what criteria they use and what organizations are accredited by them. Staff shall also look at whether any other CE accrediting bodies exist, and what other states are doing? Seconded by Ms. Quinones.</p> <p>Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
OS-1113-09	<p><u>MOTION TO CLOSE SESSION</u></p> <p>BOARD ACTION: To go into closed session to discuss confidential matters as permitted in DC Official Code § 2-575(b).</p> <p>BACKGROUND: Upon conclusion of the open session meeting and pursuant to the DC Official Code 2-575(b) and for the purposes set forth therein, the Board will move into the closed executive session portion of the meeting to consult with the Board attorney, discuss disciplinary matters and hear reports concerning violations of the law or regulations.</p> <p>MOTION: Motion made by Ms. Plack to go into closed session. Seconded by Ms.</p>	

	<p>Quinones.</p> <p>Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
	<p><u>MOTION TO ADJOURN MEETING</u></p> <p>MOTION: Motion made by Ms. Plack to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Ms. Quinones.</p> <p>Ms. Plack, Ms. Quinones and Ms. Evans voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	

The next Board Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 11, 2019

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